

The meeting was called to order at 8.15 pm (approx) by President Ray Forslund - VE3EDZ, Chairman.

The roll call showed twelve full members, 8 associate members and 7 visitors to be in attendance.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted on motion of Matti Nummelin - VE3EEI and Bruce Binnie - VE3GHB.

President Ray repeated a previous announcement of a proposed dinner meeting on April 14th and asked that all those who were planning to attend fill out the form in High-Q indicating they would be present. He also stated that the Executive were open to suggestions regarding the program at this meeting.

A letter from Mr. Fallen of E.M.O. was read regarding the lights being used in the building and asked that no unnecessary lights be left burning at the close of all meetings.

Don MacKay - VE3GST reported re the local repeater to be. Progress is still hampered by the receipt of incorrect crystals from the supplier.

That concluded the formal section of the meeting and it was adjourned on motion of Villy Madsen - VE3GHO.

After a half hour break the members were re-assembled for a general discussion of problems on new equipment now under construction.

The first speaker was Villy Madsen - VE3GHO who spoke on the repeater. Not because of problems but to outline to some of the younger members the purpose in building a repeater and then to demonstrate, to a limited extent, its operation.

Vic Bel - VE3ECV, then followed with a 12 volt power supply for use with transistor gear. Some problems had been encountered in which several diodes failed to pass the smoke test.

Bill Klemacki - VE3EEW, has been having some difficulties with a QRP type receiver for some time now and brought along evidence of his untiring efforts to solve his problem.

Likewise Ray Forslund - VE3EDZ has had problems with the transmitter of a similar type to Bill Klemacki - VE3EEW. It took

a while but Ray finally demonstrated that some progress is being made.

Coffee and doughnuts completed the evening. Lights-out about 11.15 pm.

Original signed by: Frank Start - VE3AJ Secretary Treasurer.

Attending:

Phil Moorey - VE3AXL
Bill Klemacki - VE3EEW
Vic Bel - VE3ECV
Tom Haavisto
John Sures
Ed Kucbel
Andy Malcolm
Mike Assad
Jim Holmes
Glen Chockla
Bob Chomycz
Gary Spence
Joey Terhljan
Matti Nummelin - VE3EEI

Don MacKay - VE3GST
Bruce Binnie - VE3GHB
L. Bridgett
Bill Unger - VE3EFC
Jim Gain
Don Clayton - VE3EDT
John Kuzma
Pat Doherty
Jim Roberts - VE3EDC
John Devavanyi - VE3GOW
Ray Forslund - VE3EDZ
Frank Start - VE3AJ
Les Harris - VE3AYZ